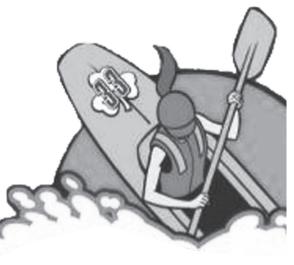


Kelly's Whitewater Park is on the east side of Cascade. The entrance is on Idaho Hwy. 55, just south of the RR Tracks. Kelly's is the first whitewater park in Idaho, attracting, kayakers, surfers, stand up paddlers, rafters and tubers for competitions or just to play in the man-made whitewater waves. The park stretches 1,200 feet down the Payette River as it flows past the site of the old Boise-Cascade Sawmill. The park is also home to a 2,660 square foot Welcome Center that overlooks the river and mountains with a gallery that showcases different local historic themes each year. The park is a beautiful place to relax, play, or just be a spectator.

KELLY S WHITEWATER PARK in Cascade, Idaho

Enjoy your time exploring Cascade, Long Valley, and the Boise National Forest







KELLY BRENNAN

The family of Kelly Brennan is extremely proud and honored to have the legacy of their beloved Kelly be the namesake of Kelly's Whitewater Park in the picturesque town of Cascade, Idaho. Her accomplishments were many and her humor, smile, and love of life were unsurpassed.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on August 21, 1974, Kelly lived most of her life in the Pocono Mountains of Pennsylvania. Kelly was a sports enthusiast and embraced all of the gifts nature had to offer. This was evident in her team spirit and leadership in sking, track, swimming, and field hockey. She joined the freestyle ski team in the 6th grade. By the 8th grade she received the Freestyle Sportsmanship Trophy for her Ballet skiing skills and earned several trophies in various mogul competitions. Her love of running earned her many medals in track and field.

"When the going gets tough, the tough get going," was Kelly's motto as she played field hockey. Her team number 33 followed her from high school to college, where she was an All American and Team Captain. Her friendly and competitive nature contributed to her everyday life quotes and encouraged those around her. One of her favorite sayings was: "Those that say it can't be done should get out of the way of those that are already doing it!"

Kelly's love for sports facilitated her selecting her major in Sports Medicine at Slippery Rock University in Pennsylvania. Upon graduation she embarked on her new career and moved to Salt Lake City, Utah, where she continued to be a strong role model to her younger sister Kristina, who was attending the University of Utah. Kelly was in awe of the magnificent Rocky Mountains and was excited to explore all that Utah had to offer.

While traveling to Lake Powell, Utah, the driver lost control of the vehicle, and sadly Kelly passed away on August 29, 1997 at the age of 23. Her loved ones will forever miss Kelly and the moments they shared with her will always be cherished. Her words of inspiration, her forever engaging smile, her quick witted yet warm sense of humor, and her undying determination to "Never give up on your hopes and dreams," will forever be instilled within all of us.

We hope the legacy and the spirit of Kelly continues to touch those today and through the years by eliciting the gifts of grace, hope, life, and encouragement as it does to those who knew her.

IT'S FREE Kelly's Academy.

Kayak and Surf and Standup Paddleboard Instruction For Valley County Students, Grades 5-12, Kayak,

For Valley County Students, Grades 5-12, Kayak, Surf and Stand Up Paddling Instruction is free. The Academy runs in the summer.

Students need to apply early and have their Red Cross swim certification. Please go to **kwpid.com** for more info or email **directors@kwpid.com** or mail Kelly's Whitewater Park, PO Box 684, Cascade, ID 83611.

NATIONAL KAYAK COMPETIONS

Kelly's has hosted the National Kayak Competition for 2 years. A full weekend of extreme river sports.



PAYETTE RIVER GAMES

The inaugural 2013 Payette River Games welcomed 14,000 people to Cascade! We look forward to having you join us in June at Kelly's in beautiful Cascade Idaho for our next Games. We are celebrating our Idaho heritage, which is defined by individuals expressing themselves through recreation. Take a look at the list below, find an event or two or three, come up and join us for a weekend to remember But we must warn you, once you visit Valley County, you might not ever leave.

We'll be adding more information on these, and even more events. Keep checking www.kwpid.com.

Kayak events
Standup Paddleboard events
Surf events
Beach Volleyball
River Dog Competition
Lumberjack Competition
Horseshoes
Kelly's Expression Session
Freestyle Kayak
Fitness Events
Food Court
Fly Casting
Disc Golf
Bocce Ball
Yoga

HOMETOWN THROWDOWNS

AND ENTERTAINMENT

Hometown Throwdowns are designed to bring recreational boaters together in the spirit of simple competition with an emphasis on fun.

The series is based on the legendary Maryland Chute Outs, with simple and light-hearted scoring criteria that allows anyone to succeed. Points can be earned from front surfs, window shades, paddle waves and standard playboat maneuvers. We will also be including Standup Paddling events at all of our Throwdowns.

To keep the focus on participation, prizes will not be awarded to the top rides, but will be raffled off to give all participants a chance to win.

IT'S A GREAT PLACE TO

- Relax in the park it's beautiful.
- Browse the museum in the Welcome Center
- Play with your kayak or go rafting or tubing or ride your surf board or stand up paddle
- Go fishing. Here fishy fishy.
- Watch the crazy kayakers or the crazy rafters & tubers
- Play some volleyball or bocce ball or horseshoes
- Watch the eagles & osprey fish in the river
- Take a stroll on The Strand. From KWP, The Strand goes 1.2 miles up river and 1.2 miles down river.
- Take a look at the Kelly Brennan statue, and the John Borbonus statue.
- Attend one of the Payette River Games or stop by to watch the local hometown throwdowns.

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